



**State of Connecticut**  
**African-American Affairs Commission**  
**State Capitol**  
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Honorable members of the Judiciary committee,

I am writing to offer support for the nomination of the Honorable Juliet Crawford of New Haven to be a Judge of the Superior Court. Judge Crawford has demonstrated through her work in the court room as well as through civic engagement that she deserves of this honor. In 1998 she was sworn in and started her career in the New London district courthouse and has worked at many different judicial branches across the state. She has served on the Criminal Justice Commission, Superior Court Rules Committee and has served her country in the United States Army both as a reservist and on active duty. As symposium chair of "Our history, Our Future: Celebrating attorneys of color in Connecticut", Judge Crawford was determined to highlight and preserve the history of attorneys of color in Connecticut and, she has also been involved in Law Day, where state judges talk to high school students about the importance of the rule of law. Throughout her career Juliet has displayed a commitment to the law and will continue to do so as a judge of the superior court.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Glenn A. Cassis".

Glenn A. Cassis  
Executive Director  
African American Affairs Commission

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*To improve and promote the economic development, education, health and political well-being of the African-American community in the State of Connecticut*